

## PUBLIC NOTICE

#### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION 1919 M STREET NW WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

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#### MASS MEDIA BUREAU MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE APPLICATIONS

Report No. D-985

May 6, 1998

By the Chief, Mass Media Bureau:

IN RE: APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING

The applications listed herein, upon initial review, appear to be complete and have been accepted for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return or dismiss any of these applications, if upon further examination, it is determined they are defective or not in substantial compliance with Commission Rules. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.20 and 21.26.

Final action will not be taken on any of these applications until the expiration of a period of 30 days following the date of this notice, except for microwave radio applications not requiring a 30-day notice period (see Section 309(c) of the Communications Act), or as otherwise noted. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 1.4 and 21.27. Unless specified to the contrary, comments or petitions may be filed concerning these applications within 30 days of the date of this notice, with the limited exception under 47 C.F.R. Section 21.902(i). See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.30 and 21.902(i).

With regard to mutual exclusivity of these Multipoint Distribution Service applications, see 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.31. and 21.914. With limited exceptions, an application which is subsequently amended by a major change will be considered as a newly filed application for purposes of the "cut-off" rule. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.23 and 21.31.

For information on other microwave facilities, refer to Public Notices released by the Wireless Bureau.

#### <u>AIR HAZARDS CAUSED BY IMPROPERLY MARKED</u> & LIGHTED COMMUNICATIONS TOWERS

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received reports of aircraft collisions with unlighted or improperly lighted communications towers. Accident reports and studies reveal that radio tower owners and FCC licensees need to be more aware of the need for conformance to FCC issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications.

When radio towers are greater than 200 feet in height and/or near an airport, the owner or licensee must apply for <u>FCC</u> issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications. During construction, temporary warning lights must be installed at the top of the structure, and at each level where permanent lights will be installed.

Licensees should insure that their towers are marked and lighted in accordance with the specifications on their permits. Daily inspections must be made to ensure that the lights are on and operating properly. Any variances must be approved by the FCC's Antenna Survey Branch (ASB).

If a light outage occurs which cannot be corrected within thirty minutes, the local FAA Flight Service Station (FSS) must be contacted immediately. The FSS will issue a warning to pilots. The FSS must also be notified when the lights are again operational so the warning may be rescinded.

The FCC intends to continue its close scrutiny of radio towers. Appropriate action, including issuance of fines and/or revocation of the station license, will be taken against the user or owner of any unauthorized or improperly marked radio tower.

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MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE
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(Commercial Instructional Television Fixed Service)

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#### Certifications of Completion of Construction (FCC Form 304A) submitted for filing:

ST	Date File ST Filed Number		Conditional Licensee	Primary Serv. Area City, State	File Number Conditional License (FCC Form 304)	Call Sign	Channel(s)	
UT	11-10-95	CIL-96-50191	American Wireless, Inc.	Cedar Cty, UT CIP-92	2-00231 W	MX673	C Group	
UT	06-18-96	CIL-96-51146	American Wireless, Inc.	Cedar Cty, UT CIP-92	2-00225 W	MX717	A Group	

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APPLICATIONS FOR TRANSFER OF CONTROL OR ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE ACCEPTED FOR FILING:

50232-CM-TC-(5)-98 TEL-COM WIRELESS CABLE TV CORP. DBA WISCONSIN WIRELESS CABLE TV

Application for authority to transfer control of station s listed below

FROM: TEL-COM WIRELESS CABLE TV CORP. D/B/A WISCONSIN WIRELESS CABLE TV TO: MEL ROSEN C/O TEL-COM WIRELESS CABLE TV CORP. D/B/A WISCONSIN CBL TV has been found,

upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return this application, if, upon further examination,

it finds the application is not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and policies.

CALL SIGN: WMH472 LOCATION:LA CROSSE, WI

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CHANNEL GROUP: F CALL SIGN: WMH472 LOCATION: LA CROSSE, WI

CALL SIGN: WMH473 LOCATION:LA CROSSE, WI

CHANNEL GROUP: E CALL SIGN: WMH473 LOCATION: LA CROSSE, WI

CALL SIGN: WMX633 LOCATION:LaCrosse, WI

CHANNEL: CALL SIGN: WMX633 LOCATION: LaCrosse, WI

CALL SIGN: WMX643 LOCATION:LaCrosse, WI

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CALL SIGN: WNTI731 LOCATION:LA CROSSE, WI

CHANNEL GROUP: H CALL SIGN: WNTI731 LOCATION: LA CROSSE, WI Channels: H1 H2 H3



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The COMMISSION took the following actions on Mass Media Bureau Multipoint Distribution Service applications:

ARN	Non- Common Carrier	Latitude	Longitude	Ground Elev	вта	Channel	Center of Rad.	Market Name	Winning Bidder
BMDP970221LV	Х	425157	1123046	1775.0M	B353	H1	61.0M	Pocatello, ID	Hubbard Trust
BMDP970221LX	Х	425157	1123046	1175.0M	B353	H1	61.0M	Pocatello, ID	Hubbard Trust

## MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE (SINGLE & MULTICHANNEL)

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ACTIONS TAKEN ON APPLICATIONS FOR TRANSFER OF CONTROL OR ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE:

50651-CM-AL-(2)-97 UNITED BROADCASTING TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Application appearing on public notice 05/21/1997 for authority to assign all authorizations for stations listed below

FROM: UNITED BROADCASTING TECHNOLOGIES, INC. TO: FUTURE VISION WIRELESS CABLE, INC.

has been found to be in the public interest. GRANTED: 04/29/1998.

CHANNEL GROUP: H CALL SIGN: WNTF893 LOCATION: CLARKSVILLE, TN Channels: H3
CHANNEL GROUP: H CALL SIGN: WNTJ418 LOCATION: CLARKSVILLE, TN Channels: H1

50837-CM-AL-(2)-97 THOMAS P. FARRELL

Application appearing on public notice 09/10/1997 for authority to assign all authorizations for stations listed below

FROM: THOMAS P. FARRELL TO: ALDA WIRELESS HOLDINGS, INC.

has been found to be in the public interest. GRANTED: 04/29/1998.

CHANNEL GROUP: H CALL SIGN: WNTG393 LOCATION: ANDERSON, IN Channels: H3 CHANNEL GROUP: H CALL SIGN: WNTG394 LOCATION: BLOOMINGTON, IN Channels: H3

50840-CM-AL-(4)-97 BROADCAST CABLE BLOOMINGTON, INC.

Application appearing on public notice 09/10/1997 for authority to assign all authorizations for stations listed below

FROM: BROADCAST CABLE BLOOMINGTON, INC. TO: ALDA WIRELESS HOLDINGS, INC.

has been found to be in the public interest. GRANTED: 04/29/1998.

CHANNEL GROUP: H CALL SIGN: WMY203 LOCATION: INDIANAPOLIS, IN Channels: H3
CHANNEL GROUP: H CALL SIGN: WMY204 LOCATION: INDIANAPOLIS, IN Channels: H1
CHANNEL GROUP: H CALL SIGN: WMY205 LOCATION: INDIANAPOLIS, IN Channels: H2
CHANNEL: 1 CALL SIGN: WPX33 LOCATION: INDIANAPOLIS, IN

50841-CM-AL-97 (WNTM675) JOHN L. SINCLAIR

Application appearing on public notice 09/10/1997 for authority to assign all authorizations for station WNTM675 in BLOOMINGTON, IN

FROM: JOHN L. SINCLAIR TO: ALDA WIRELESS HOLDINGS, INC.

has been found to be in the public interest. GRANTED: 04/29/1998.

Channel Group: H Channels: H1 H2

50106-CM-AL-98 (WNTM579) BERNARD LOVE

Application appearing on public notice 01/22/1998 for authority to assign all authorizations for station WNTM579 in SAN JOSE, CA

FROM: BERNARD LOVE TO: BAY AREA CABLEVISION, INC.

has been found to be in the public interest. GRANTED: 05/05/1998.

Channel Group: H Channels: H2

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ACTIONS TAKEN:

File Number Applicant

50408-CM-P-97 (WMY489 ) MICHAEL R. KELLEY DBA SHANNONDALE WIRELESS

Application for CONDITIONAL LICENSE GRANTED: 05/06/1998. Application appeared on public notice dated 02/12/1997.

Channel Primary Service Area

(H group) MARTINSBURG, WV

Channel(s) H1